

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1298

By Burchett

A RESOLUTION to recognize Patricia Evans on the occasion of her retirement.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of industry; and

WHEREAS, Patricia Evans is one such estimable person who has served with distinction for thirty-eight years as a valued employee of Blount Memorial Hospital; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Evans will be taking a much deserved retirement on May 14, 2010; and

WHEREAS, throughout her exemplary tenure at Blount Memorial Hospital, Patricia Evans has distinguished herself as a public-spirited citizen of the highest order and as an exceptional asset to her community; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Evans is fortunate to share the love, support, and companionship of her husband, D. Eugene Evans; together they are the proud parents of three children: Kipper Evans, Kimberly Robinson, and Karen Condron, and the adoring grandparents of Allison, Cameron, Chandler, and Chase; and

WHEREAS, Patricia Evans exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, throughout her estimable career, Patricia Evans has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of her colleagues and the citizens she so ably served; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby extend to Patricia Evans our heartfelt wishes for a happy and

fulfilling retirement, offering our deepest gratitude for her thirty-eight years of distinguished service to Blount Memorial Hospital and wishing her every continued success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.